

## Participles after verbs of perception **key**

### Connect the sentences by using participles.

Example: We heard him. He ran out of the house. → *We heard him **running** out of the house.*

1. Have you seen our dog? He has just done some nice tricks.  
*Have you seen our dog **doing** some nice tricks*
2. We noticed her at football practice. She was running laps on the track.  
*We noticed her at football practice **running** laps on the track.*
3. In the evening, we sat and watched the sun. It set slowly in the west.  
*In the evening, we sat and watched the sun **setting** slowly in the west.*
4. We walked along the beach and noticed that the tide came in quickly.  
*We walked along the beach and noticed the tide **coming** in quickly.*
5. I overheard you when you were talking on the phone.  
*I overheard you **talking** on the phone.*
6. I was sitting at my desk when I heard him. He called my name.  
*I was sitting at my desk when I heard him **calling** my name.*
7. We were watching the game when suddenly I saw that a ball flew directly towards my face.  
*We were watching the game when suddenly I saw a ball **flying** directly towards my face.*
8. Can you smell the smoke? It comes out of the neighbors' house.  
*Can you smell the smoke **coming** out of the neighbors' house?*
9. Just imagine! I saw the burglar when he ran out of the house.  
*Just imagine! I saw the burglar **running** out of the house.*
10. I was on the phone when I smelled something. Our dinner was burning in the oven.  
*I was on the phone when I smelled our dinner **burning** in the oven.*
11. We were all asleep. Then suddenly we heard that someone broke into the house in the basement.  
*We were all asleep. Then suddenly we heard someone **breaking** into the house in the basement.*
12. She felt his hand on her back. It moved down her spine.  
*She felt his hand on her back **moving** down her spine.*